

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Korber  
Serial No.: 09/990,199  
For: GLASS-METAL LEADTHROUGH  
Filed: November 21, 2001  
Examiner: Vu, Hien D.  
Art Unit: 2833  
Confirmation No.: 1804  
Customer No. 27,623

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 11, 2003,  
Applicant responds as follows:

**Listing of the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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Title: GLASS-METAL LEADTHROUGH

From: Edward L. McMahon, Esq.

MESSAGE: Response to Office Action

We are enclosing a response to an Office Action dated December 11, 2003 in the above-noted application.

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**MAIL STOP NON FEE AMENDMENT  
 COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450**

Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

We are enclosing an Amendment in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$\_\_\_\_\_ to extend the time for filing this response until \_\_\_\_\_.

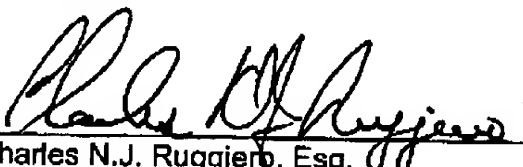
The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment		Highest Number Previously Paid	Present Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	7	Minus	20	0	x \$18.00	\$
Independent Claims	3	Minus	3	0	x \$86.00	\$
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE					x \$290.00 = \$	
TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES					\$0	
1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY					N/A	

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes (\$0), and any extension of time (\$0) is calculated to be \$ 0.00.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 01-0467**. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

February 20, 2004  
Date

  
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